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Announcement.

FULLER & SMITH wish to announce to the public that beginning with October First, their terms will be "CASH TO EVERYBODY". They are compelled to take this step owing to the extremely high prices of cattle and to the fact that they pay cash for all stock bought by them; consequently they find it necessary to have some money on hand in order to do business.

They wish to thank their many customers for past favors, and can assure them they will receive the best of attention in the future.

FULLER & SMITH

CITY MEAT MARKET

BOW ISLAND

Those Gas Leases! Town Strikes Gas.

The Review published an extract last week from the Calgary News-Telegram, in which a statement was made by the Secretary of the Gas Company, referring to the assessment of the company's gas wells by the Rural Municipality of Bow Island, "that the taxes are mixed up horribly, and even the Council of Bow Island are not able to state what was taxed and what was not taxed."

The Review published the extract simply as a piece of reading matter, believing that as it affected one of our public organizations the matter should be given publicity.

If we may judge from snippets of conversation reported to us, some of our citizens have taken the trouble to take the remarks of the Gas Company's Secretary literally, and greedily swallowed the tit-bit with all the enjoyment possible. If, however, the matter had been given some consideration, it would not be necessary to remind those citizens that the remarks made by the Company's Secretary were most probably oriented in a very heated atmosphere, the warmth of which was increased considerably by the knowledge that the Rural Municipality of Bow Island had, (in western parlance) "slipped one over them."

The action of the Municipality of Bow Island is being watched with increased interest throughout Southern Alberta, and this possibly affords the Gas Company a considerable amount of uneasiness, hence the rather heated remarks of their Secretary.

We do not think it is necessary to mention the fact that the remarks made by the Company's Secretary were totally unwarranted and wholly unnecessary. The books of the Municipality have not, as yet, been submitted to him for his inspection, and this possibly accounts for his erroneous statement.

The Review took a cursory glance at the assessment book the other day, and found no trace of the "muddle" spoken of, nor could it see any grounds on which any fair minded man could make the accusations.

First "Pay" Reached on Saturday--Drillers believe Well will be a "Gusher."

Bow Island's town well is giving early promise of making rich returns for the capital invested. Today (Thursday) the drillers had reached a depth of 1200 feet, and everything going nicely. The first sign of gas was detected at a depth of 1550 feet, which was reached on Saturday night last. The flow was, of course, but a very small one, about 250,000 feet we believe. However, small as it is, it gives the citizens much gratification to know there is some "in the hole." The drillers are working night and day, and at this rate, barring accidental causes, etc., "two weeks more should see Bow Island's well completed."

Already there is considerable speculation relative to the flow that will eventually be acquired, and some of the drillers have gone so far as to say that indications point to the well being one of the best in the field.

A ten or fifteen million flow would do us very well for present needs, and might even allow us sufficient to augment the flow of Medicine Hat.

148 Cars Shipped.

If the importance of a town is gauged by the quantity of grain shipped out, then Bow Island may justly claim its full share of publicity in being known as the greatest shipping point for grain in Southern Alberta. Time was when Taber proudly boasted of shipping out "millions of bushels," but that was when no one took the trouble to doubt the veracity of the statement, and before the vast territory surrounding Bow Island was settled up sufficiently to push this town into the limelight.

The shipment of grain this season from Bow Island has broken all records so far. Up-to-date, 148 cars of grain have left for other points, and the rush is still on.

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Local and General.

R. A. Parker of Winnifred was a visitor here to-day.

Threshing is now practically completed around Bow Island.

E. G. Allen arrived back from the hospital at Medicine Hat today.

Wanted—A girl to do housework. Apply Mrs. E. W. Luckhardt, Bow Island.

There will be English Lutheran service in the Presbyterian Church next Sunday, at 3 p.m.

A dance will be held in the I.O.O.F. hall on Thursday, October 2nd. Music by the Hoaglin orchestra.

There will be services in the Borden Schoolhouse Sunday, October 5th at 10:30 a.m. and in the Fertile Plains Schoolhouse at 2 p.m.

E. R. Koontz of Richards, Missouri, purchased last week the farm of A. Ellsworth, situated about six miles east of Bow Island.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. E. E. Reid on Thursday, October 2nd. This will be a sewing and social meeting. Every body welcome.

Thomas Wilton has made application for a license for the hotel at Burdett. The hearing will take place before the commissioners at Calgary on Thursday, October 16.

Holly Day will be observed in the Presbyterian Church next Sunday, September 28th, at 11 a.m. All Sunday School scholars are urged to be present, as well as parents and friends. A special order of service has been prepared and addresses will be given on "God's Helpers." There will be no service in the church in the evening.

D. M. Garrison will sell by auction on Wednesday, October 15th, the live stock, agricultural implements, etc., the property of Stephan Nikola, at the farm, south-west quarter of 36-8-11.

The marriage took place on Saturday, September 20th, at the Parsonage, Bow Island, of Melvina Wilson to Albert Edward Whitfield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. L. Wright.

A. J. Bergeron will have an auction sale at his farm, north-west 10-11-11, on Monday, October 6th. The sale will consist of about sixteen head of horses, cattle, agricultural implements, household furniture, etc.

The appeal against the assessment of the wells of the Canadian General Natural Gas, Light, Heat and Power Co., at Bow Island, which was to have been heard at Lethbridge on Thursday of last week, has been postponed, Judge Jackson being in Edmonton.

The Lethbridge Brewing and Malting Co. has adopted natural gas as fuel in place of coal and the boilers at the big plant are now being heated by that method. The management believes natural gas to be more economical than coal and is the largest individual user of natural gas in Lethbridge.

A marriage took place on Tuesday, September 23rd, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Peter La Marsh, of Miss Florence Winona LaMarsh to Walter Henry Schouert, of Bow Island. Rev. M. L. Wright officiated. Russell Schouert assisted his brother at the ceremony and Miss Evelyn LaMarsh acted as maid to her sister. There were about thirty guests present.

Ladies' of All Saint's Church met at the Vicarage on September 19th, when arrangements were made towards a future bazaar and the Secretary was requested to write to the Diocesan Branch of the Women's Auxiliary of Calgary, to arrange about the organizing secretary coming to Bow Island to start a Parochial Branch here. In the meantime, meetings will be held for sewing and preparing for the bazaar. A meeting will be held with Mrs. Ridgale at the Hotel Myrtle, to-day (Friday).

South Country Fire

Lethbridge, Alta., Sept. 23.—Reports of what was probably one of the most destructive prairie fires yet recorded in this district, comes from the section affected this morning. The fire started about eight miles north-east of Stirling, between the Chin and Kipp creeks, and R. C. Harvey, who had some difficulty in getting his sheep out of the track of the fire, says that \$1,000,000 will not cover the damage to the range.

The fire started at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon and swept southward for nearly 20 miles, spreading over five miles in width. H. O. Rolfe, who lives about fifteen miles north of New Dayton, left his threshing operation with 10 men to fight the fire and every farmer for miles around were busy at the same task. Reports say the damage was meagre, but James Christiansen suffered very heavily, losing entirely 100 acres of wheat in his stock, which he expected to yield between 30 and 40 bushels.

Another farmer is said to have lost a fine field of flax and damage to telephone poles and buildings is also reported as being heavy.

The cause of the fire is not yet known. One report states that it was started by a sheep burner, another lays the blame to a farmer who turned a straw stack, the fire being fanned and spread by the high wind. Nellie Nelson, of Stirling, lost a valuable crop, but does not know the exact amount of damage done.

five to plans pertaining to industrial development. Commissioner Tracy said that he was pleased and it is possible that the company may interest itself in the matter of industrial growth here, Lethbridge being the nearest city to the company's source of supply and the logical point therefore for the company to develop with the supply of industrial power.—Lethbridge News.



**Liquor
License
Ordinance**

APPLICATION
FOR
RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSE.

Application has been made by Thomas Wilton for a license in respect to the West Hotel, situate on lots fifteen (15) and sixteen (16), block eight (8), Burdett, Alberta. This application will be considered by the Board of License Commissioners at a meeting to be held in the Lethbridge Branch Office, 355-35th Avenue West, Calgary, on Thursday, October 16th, 1914, at 10 o'clock a.m. DATED AT EDMONTON this 22nd day of September, 1914.

L. F. CLARRY
Deputy Attorney General.

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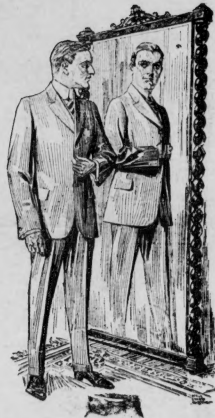
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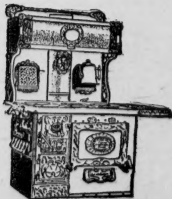
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